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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.56, applicant hereby calls to the attention of the Patent and Trademark Office the following patents and other documents which are listed on attached Form PTO-1449.

This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits for the above-referenced application.

1. U.S. Patent No. 4,021,630 issued May 3, 1977, to Taylor.
2. U.S. Patent No. 4,352,968 issued Oct. 5, 1982, to Pounds.
3. U.S. Patent No. 4,441,001 issued Apr. 3, 1984, to Miyano et al..
4. U.S. Patent No. 4,527,030 issued July 2, 1985, to Oelsch.
5. U.S. Patent No. 4,775,574 issued Oct. 4, 1988, to Fukushima et al.
6. U.S. Patent No. 5,144,103 issued Sept. 1, 1992, to Suwa.
7. U.S. Patent No. 5,145,058 issued Sept. 8, 1992, to Lee.
8. U.S. Patent No. 5,172,805 issued Dec. 22, 1992, to Gumb.

9. U.S. Patent No. 5,247,143 issued Sept. 21, 1993, to Suwa.
10. U.S. Patent No. 5,345,051 issued Sept. 6, 1994, to Miike.
11. U.S. Patent No. 5,389,755 issued Feb. 14, 1995, to Chen.
12. U.S. Patent No. 5,399,824 issued Mar. 21, 1995, to Chen.
13. U.S. Patent No. 5,401,929 issued Mar. 28, 1995, to Chen.
14. U.S. Patent No. 5,442,151 issued Aug. 15, 1995, to Strang et al.
15. U.S. Patent No. 5,710,397 issued Jan. 20, 1998, to Liao.
16. U.S. Patent No. 5,939,690 issued Aug. 17, 1999, to Yasui et al..
17. U.S. Patent No. 6,204,459 issued Mar. 20, 2001, to Kizele et al.
18. U.S. Patent Publication 2002/0013990 published Feb. 7, 2002, to Yeh.
19. WO 03/097322, Nov. 27, 2003, to Purcocks.
20. DE 3241159, May 10, 1984, to Schlegel.
21. DE 3722236, Jan. 19, 1989, to Roth.

Copies of the listed foreign language documents are attached.

For foreign references, English abstract translations of non-English documents are enclosed.

Applicant has not submitted copies of the above listed U.S. patent items pursuant to the waiver by the Patent Office of the requirement under 37 CFR 1.98(a)(2)(i) for submitting a copy of each cited U.S. patent and each U.S. Patent application publication for all U.S. national patent applications filed after June 30, 2003.

Applicant respectfully requests that these references be considered by the Examiner and made of record.

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